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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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| Application No. | 09/752,042 | | | | |
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| Filing Date | December 29, 2000 | | | | |
| First Named Inventor | David I. Poisner | | | | |
| Art Unit | 2112 | | | | |
| Examiner Name | Tim T. Vo | | | | |
| Attorney Docket Number | 42390P10586 | | | | |

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s).

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| | a. | | | iously submitted. If a final Office action is outst | | y amendm | ments filed after the final Office action | | | | |
| | may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on | | | | | | | | | | |
| ٠ | (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered). ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on | | | | | | | | | | |
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| iii. Other | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | b. | X | Encl | osed | _ | | | | | | |
| | | i. | | Amendment/Reply iii. 🛭 | Informa | ation Disclo | osure Statement (IDS) | | | | |
| | | ii. | | Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iv. \Box | Other _ | | | | | | |
| 2. [| 2. Miscellaneous | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ì | a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required) | | | | | | | | | | |
| | b. | | Othe | er | | | | | | | |
| 3. [| Fe | ees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed. | | | | | | | | | |
| | a. | X | The | Director is hereby authorized to charge the follo | wing fees, | , or credit a | any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. | | | | |
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| | | ii. | | Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and 1. | 17) Ç | A9/23/26 | 005 RFEKADU1 00000098 09752042 | | | | |
| | iii. 🖂 Other: (\$.00) | | | | | | | | | | |
| | b. | 0) FC:1801 | | | | | | | | | |
| | c. Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosd) | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, AT | TORNEY, | OR AGEN | NT REQUIRED | | | | |
| Nam | Name (Print/Type | | | Michael J. Mallie | F | Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) 36,591 | | | | | |
| Sign | Signature | | | L | D | ate | February 17, 2005 | | | | |
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| | I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. February 17, 2005 | | | | | | | | | | |
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